

**Lesley Humphrey-Quality Manage**

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**From:** Lesley Humphrey-Quality Manage  
**To:** Barbara Robinson-Service Mgr; Bill Hooper General Manager; Fiona Cameron-Hosp Manager  
**Cc:** Ian Reid-Medical Director; Max Millett - Chief Executive  
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I met with DCI Ray Burt again today, to sign my statement introducing Mrs R's health record. Things are progressing slowly, he is just about ready to get Mrs Lack and Mrs Mackenzie to sign their statements; he is also finalising a statement from the records manager at Haslar [similar to mine, just introducing their health record].

Tomorrow he is seeing Prof Livesey, clinical advisor to the police. If he needs any further clarification/info from us/or need to interview any other staff following this, he will let me know. {currently onyl intends to interview Jane}. Prof L will see copies of our full health record and the original xrays.

Ray now says he is unlikely to be ready to interview Jane Barton until late March 2000 at the earliest - he has written to Jane's solicitor to explain this and to offer reassurance that this is still simply an information gathering processes. [he is very anxious to be able to demonstrate both fairness and sensitivity all round]

Barbara, can you please check Jane is aware of the new timescale [and philip Beed - I've sent him a copyof the nursing notes, he is getting prepared just in case there is a need to interview nursing staff]. Bill/Ian and you please do likewise with Althea.

Thanks

Lesley